96,48

FCC, Chairman Kevin J Martin 445 12th St SW, Washington, DC, 20554.

2006 MAY 22 P 2: 31

Dear Chairman Kevin J. Martin,

As someone who is concerned about increased taxes and telephone fees, I have contacted your constituents to oppose a USF numbers or flat-fee plan. **I oppose** Federal Communications Commission (FCC) Chairman Kevin J. Martin's plans to change the way monies are collected for the Universal Service Fund.

You, Chairman Martin are proposing a change in the Universal Service Fund (USF) collection methodology from a "pay-for-what-you-use" system to a "monthly flat-fee." The flat-fee system would result in forced phone bill hikes for me -- and for millions of low-volume, long-distance users in the U.S. Shifting the funding burden of the USF away from high volume users -- like big businesses -- and placing the weight on low-volume users -- students, prepaid wireless users, senior citizens and low-income residential and rural consumers-- is unfair. Many low-income and retired people are on fixed incomes and cannot afford to pay the extra money. A lot of the people do not have the extra income or have jobs to support this. This could become a burden on many who cannot afford it but need to have the telephone service.

I urge you Chairman Martin to rethink your flat-fee plan. It is a de-facto tax increase of as much as \$707 million for 43 million of low-volume, long-distance users in the U.S.

Please pass along my concerns to the FCC on my behalf, letting them know that your constituents have been contacted to oppose a USF numbers or flat-fee plan. Thank you for

Sincerely,

Jacqueline Adamek 4657 Aspen Ridge Circle Eagan, MN 55122-4603

> .p. 010 : Againsold <u>0</u> Ud(A 0 0 0 E

MAY 22 2006

FCC Mail Room

<u>Interstate Common Line Support (ICLS)</u> 2006 - 2007

			2000 - 2007
Date	5/16/2006		1010
To:	Marlene H. Dortch Office of Secretary Federal Communications Commission 445 - 12th Street, SW		ICLS
	Washington, DC 20554		
	Karen Majcher Vice President - High Cost and Low Inc Universal Service Administrative Comp 2000 L Street, NW, Suite 200 Washington, DC 20036		
Re:	CC Docket No. 96-45		
	Interstate Common Line Supp Annual Certification Filing	ort - ICLS	
	orized to make this certification on behalf a(s) listed below: (Please enter your Co	• •	
	Company Name	State	Study Area Code
	Project Telephone Company	Montana	482250
	(If necessary, attach a sepa	arate list of additional study	areas and check this box.)
Signed	(2a.6)		
(Signature	of Authorized Representative]	Date: 5/16/200	06
	Del Fiacco, CPA lame of Authorized Representative]		
Cost Stud	ly and Regulatory Analyst		
	uthorized Representative]		
Carrier's	Name: Project Telephone Compa	any	Date Received

PÖ Box 600, Scobey, MT 59263

Carrier's Address:

Carrier's Telephone Number:

USAC

(For official use only)



Interstate Common Line Support (ICLS) 2006 - 2007

Date	16-May-06	RECEIVED & INSPECTED	IAIA				
То:	Marlene H. Dortch Office of Secretary Federal Communications Commission	MAY 2 2 2006	CLS				
	445 - 12th Street, SW Washington, DC 20554	FCG - MAILFOOM	Towns (BIGNA)				
	Karen Majcher Vice President - High Cost and Low Ind Universal Service Administrative Comp 2000 L Street, NW, Suite 200 Washington, DC 20036						
Re:	CC Docket No. 96-45 Interstate Common Line Support - ICLS Annual Certification Filing						
will use its	certify that <u>Western Wahkiakum Cou</u> INTERSTATE COMMON LINE SUPPO ding of facilities and services for which t	ORT - ICLS only for the provisio	n, maintenance				
	rized to make this certification on behal (s) listed below. (Please enter your Co	, ,					
		ורו פ	•				
	Company Name	ICLS State					
	Company Name Western Wahkiakum County Telephor	State	Study Area Code				
	Company Name Western Wahkiakum County Telephor	State					
		State	Study Area Code				
	Western Wahkiakum County Telephon	State ne Co Washington	Study Area Code 522451				
	Western Wahkiakum County Telephon	State	Study Area Code 522451				
Signed	Western Wahkiakum County Telephon	State ne Co Washington	Study Area Code 522451				
Signed,	Western Wahkiakum County Telephor (If necessary, attach a sep	State ne Co Washington	Study Area Code 522451				
	(If necessary, attach a sep	State ne Co Washington	Study Area Code 522451 eas and check this box.)				
	Western Wahkiakum County Telephor (If necessary, attach a sep	State ne Co Washington parate list of additional study are	Study Area Code 522451 eas and check this box.)				
[Signature Steven M.	(If necessary, attach a sepondary of Authorized Representative) Appelo	State ne Co Washington parate list of additional study are	Study Area Code 522451 eas and check this box.)				
[Signature Steven M.	(If necessary, attach a seport of Authorized Representative)	State ne Co Washington parate list of additional study are	Study Area Code 522451 eas and check this box.)				
[Signature Steven M. [Printed Na	(If necessary, attach a sepondary of Authorized Representative) Appelo ame of Authorized Representative]	State ne Co Washington parate list of additional study are	Study Area Code 522451 eas and check this box.)				
[Signature Steven M. [Printed Na A.E.O. & E	(If necessary, attach a sepondary of Authorized Representative) Appelo	State ne Co Washington parate list of additional study are	Study Area Code 522451 eas and check this box.)				

USAC



RECEIVED & Interstate Access Support (IAS)

MAY 2 2 2006

FCC - MAILPOOM

TELEPHONE

Date

To:

Marlene H. Dortch

16-May-06

Office of Secretary

Federal Communications Commission

445 - 12th Street, SW Washington, DC 20554

Karen Majcher

Vice President - High Cost and Low Income Division

Universal Service Administrative Company

2000 L Street, NW, Suite 200 Washington, DC 20036

Re:

CC Docket No. 96-45

Interstate Access Support - IAS

Annual Certification Filing

This is to certify that Western Wahkiakum County Telephone Company will use its INTERSTATE ACCESS SUPPORT - IAS only for the provision, maintenance and upgrading of facilities and services for which the support is intended.

I am authorized to make this certification on behalf of the company named above. This certification is for the study area(s) listed below. (Please enter your Company Name, State and Study Area Code)

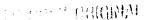
IAS

State	Study Area Code
Washington	522451
1	

(If necessary, attach a separate list of additional study areas and check this box.)

Signed, [Signature of Authorized Representative]	Date:	16-May-06	- North South Control of the State of the	0
Steven M. Appelo			The second secon	191
[Printed Name of Authorized Representative]		/		
A.E.O. & Board Secretary				
[Title of Authorized Representative]				
Carrier's Name: Western Wahkiakum County Carrier's Address: P O Box 99, Rosburg, Wash Carrier's Telephone Number: 360 465-2211	•	1	Date Received (For official use only)	

USAC





RONAN TELEPHONE COMPANY

312 MAIN STREET SOUTHWEST . RONAN, MONTANA 59864 (406) 676-2751 • FAX NO. (406) 676-8889

May 15, 2006

Interstate Common Line Support (ICLS) 2006-2007

Marlene H. Dortch To:

Office of the Secretary

Federal Communications Commission

445 12th Street SW

Washington, DC 20554

Karen Majcher

Vice President-High Cost and Low Income Division

Universal Service Administrative Company

2000 L Street NW, Suite 200

Washington, DC 20036

RE:

CC Docket No. 96-45

Interstate Common Line Support - ICLS

Annual Certification Filing

This is to certify that Ronan Telephone Company will use its Interstate Common Line Support - ICLS only for the provision, maintenance and upgrading of facilities and service for which the support is intended.

I am authorized to make this certification on behalf of the company named above. This certification is for the study area listed below:

Company Name

State

Study Area Code

RECEIVED & LISPECTED

MAY 2 2 2006

FCC - MAILFIOOM

Ronan Telephone Company

Montana

482252

Signed,

Rosa E. Tougas

May 15, 2006

President

Ronan Telephone Company

312 Main Street SW

Ronan, MT 59864

406-676-2751

ret101@ronan.net



West River Cooperative Telephone Co.

801 Coleman Ave.

P. O. Box 39

Bison, SD 57620

MAY 2 2 2006

May 12, 2006

Marlene H. Dortch Office of the Secretary Federal Communications Commission 445 12th Street, SW Washington, D.C. 20554

Re: CC Docket No. 96-45

Dear Marlene:

This letter is to certify that West River Cooperative Telephone Company, will use its Interstate Common Line Support and Long Term Support only for the provision, maintenance, and upgrading of facilities and service for which the support is intended.

I am authorized to make this certification on behalf of the company named above. This certification is provided for all study areas under the common control of the company, and which are listed below and in attachment(s) as necessary.

General Manager

Date: 5-12-06

West River Cooperative Telephone Company 801 Coleman Avenue PO Box 39

Bison, SD 57620

Company Name

West River Cooperative Telephone Company

State

South Dakota

Study Area No.

391689

Phone: 605-244-5213 Fax: 605-244-7288 westriver@sdplains.com